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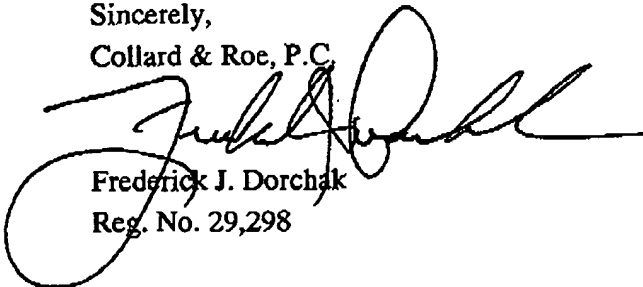
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 1723PATENTSIN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Peter WIRTZ - 1  
SERIAL NO.: 10/738,424 EXAMINER: Sun U. KIM  
FILED: DECEMBER 17, 2003 GROUP: 1723  
TITLE: FILTER MATERIAL, FILTER BODY AND METHOD OF  
MANUFACTURING A FILTER MATERIAL

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MAIL STOP AF  
Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated August 3, 2006,  
please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this  
paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of  
claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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